

ZHIJIN TEASEL ROOT (织金续断)

Country of origin: China

Type of product: Roots of *Dipsacus Asper* Wall

Geographical Area: Zhijin County, Guizhou Province

Specificity of the Product: Long, cylindrical, and slightly flat and curved, with a brown or taupe surface. There are many obvious and twisted longitudinal wrinkles and grooves, visible horizontal long lenticels and a few fibrous roots. The product is slightly soft and hardens after a long period of drying. They are easy to break and are leather green brown or light brown, wood brown, often with radial pattern. Their flavor is bitter, slightly sweet and then astringent.



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